

## EQUIPMENT OPERATOR II - 2211

### GENERAL DEFINITION AND CONDITIONS OF WORK:

Performs difficult semiskilled work in the regular operation of tractors, mowers, and medium equipment; does related work as required. Work is performed under regular supervision.

This is medium work requiring the exertion of 50 pounds of force occasionally, up to 20 pounds of force frequently, and up to 10 pounds of force constantly to move objects; work requires climbing, balancing, stooping, kneeling, crouching, crawling, reaching, standing, walking, pushing, pulling, lifting, fingering, grasping, feeling, and repetitive motions; vocal communication is required for expressing or exchanging ideas by means of the spoken word; hearing is required to perceive information at normal spoken word levels; visual acuity is required for depth perception, peripheral vision, preparing and analyzing written or computer data, visual inspection involving small defects and/or small parts, use of measuring devices, assembly or fabrication of parts at or within arms length, operation of machines, operation of motor vehicles or equipment, determining the accuracy and thoroughness of work, and observing general surroundings and activities; the worker is subject to inside and outside environmental conditions, extreme cold, extreme heat, noise, vibration, hazards, atmospheric conditions, and oils. The worker may be exposed to bloodborne pathogens and may be required to wear specialized personal protective equipment.

### ESSENTIAL FUNCTIONS/TYPICAL TASKS:

#### **Operating a variety of medium equipment in the performance of maintenance and repair tasks.**

Operates back-hoe, street sweeper, bucket truck, tractor trailer, flusher, dump trucks, front-end loaders, tractors and other medium equipment in the performance of installation, maintenance, and repair tasks;

Operates snow plows when required;

Performs masonry work in connection with tasks; pours and finishes concrete;

Lays pipe; erects street signs; cleans ditches; mows rights-of-way;

Patches streets; makes utility cuts; edges sidewalks; flags traffic;

Clears rights-of-way of limbs and debris;

Operates fork-lift at warehouse; hauls dirt and materials to job sites;

May operate grader and other heavy equipment;

Responds to emergencies when required; subject to call-back;

Performs related tasks as required.

### KNOWLEDGE, SKILLS AND ABILITIES:

Thorough knowledge of the principles and practices of operating mowers and medium construction equipment; thorough knowledge of the traffic laws and regulations governing equipment operation; thorough knowledge of the occupational hazards involved and the safety precautions necessary to the proper operation of varied construction and maintenance equipment; skill in the use of equipment to which assigned; ability to understand and follow oral and written directions; mechanical aptitude; ability to make minor repairs and adjustments to equipment; ability to establish and maintain effective working relationships with associates.

### EDUCATION AND EXPERIENCE:

Any combination of education and experience equivalent to graduation from high school and some experience in the operation of light and medium equipment.

### SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS:

Possession of Class B CDL driver's license valid in the State of North Carolina.